

## Special Issue

# Artificial Intelligence and Digital Twin Technologies for Smart and Sustainable Built Environments

### Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue aims to bring together pioneering research that leverages AI, machine learning, the Internet of Things (IoT), and cognitive computing to improve the resilience, safety, and sustainability of the built environment. Topics of interest include digital twin development and validation, AI-powered structural health monitoring, multimodal data fusion, autonomous inspection using UAVs and robotics, and intelligent asset management. This issue seeks to advance the convergence of big data analytics, IoT, and cognitive computing toward the realization of next-generation smart cities and sustainable built environments. This Special Issue will serve as a collaborative platform on which researchers and practitioners may share innovations, address current challenges, and shape future directions in AI-driven digital twin and IoT applications for the built environment. We welcome original research articles, comprehensive reviews, and case studies that highlight AI's potential to transform civil infrastructure for a sustainable future.

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